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2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

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- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
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- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) [Total Sheets 2]

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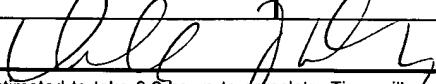
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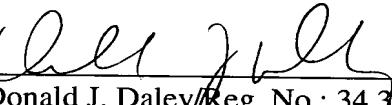
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